

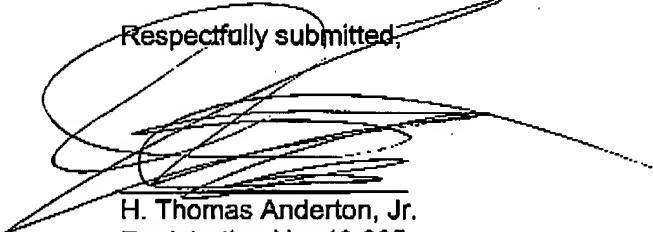
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REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 13, 2002, Applicants elect Group II, encompassing claims 14-23, 34 and 35, without traverse. Claims 1-13, 24-33 and 36 have been canceled as drawn to non-elected subject matter.

Applicants reserve the right to file subsequent applications claiming the non-elected subject matter and do not waive any of their rights or abandon any non-elected subject matter. Applicants have fully and completely responded to the Office Action and have made the required election. This application is now in order for early action.

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